GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
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FOREIGN PARTNERS IN CIVIL AVIATION SECTOR
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to allow private sector participation in the aviation sub-sectors in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether Indian chamber of Commerce have strongly opposed the idea of allowing foreign partners having more than 25% stake; and

(d) if so, the reaction of the Government thereon?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI SHARAD YADAV)

(a) to (d): The Civil Aviation Policy under formulation, inter alia, seeks to set up a policy framework for private sector participation. The draft has been widely circulated for views/comments before finalisation. The draft is also available on Ministry`s website.